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| JUN 23 2000 PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE | APPLICATION NUMBER 09/513,440 | FILING/RECEIPT DATE 02/25/2000 | FIRST NAMED APPLICANT Kathleen Tyson Quah | ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER 126-001USA000 |
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Date Mailed: 04/20/2000

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$2286.
 - \$648 for 36 total claims over 20.
 - \$1638 for 21 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 3106.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

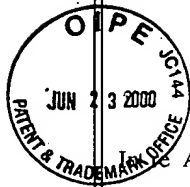

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:

Applicant : Kathleen Tyson Quah
Serial No. : 09/513,440
Filing Date : February 25, 2000
Title of Invention : METHOD OF AND SYSTEM FOR MITIGATING RISK
ASSOCIATED WITH SETTLING OF FOREIGN
EXCHANGE AND OTHER PAYMENTS-BASED
TRANSACTIONS
Examiner : not yet assigned
Group Art Unit : 2756
Attorney Docket : 126-001USA000

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
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Washington, DC 20231

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION
FILING DATE GRANTED

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Missing Parts of Application/Filing Date
Granted dated April 20, 2000, Applicant submits herewith the following
documents for filing in the above-referenced Application:

- Authorization to charge Deposit Account 16-1340 in payment of the basic filing and additional claim fees;
- Combined Declaration Of Inventorship And Power Of Attorney;
- Part 2 of Notice Of Missing Parts Of Application/Filing Date Granted;
- Declaration Of Small Entity Status (37 C.F.R. 1.9(f) and 1.27(b) - Small Business Concern);
- Return Receipt Postcard; and
- Certificate of First Class Mail under C.F.R. 1.8 dated June 20, 2000.

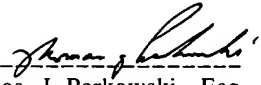
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The Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite filing fees of \$1553.00, as well as any other fee deficiencies, in connection with the present Application to Deposit Account No. 16-1340. A duplicate of this document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: June 20, 2000



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